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It has been brought to our attention through the Grapevine that some people that have bought Yellow Brown Girl are changing the name and selling leaves as a Yellow Violet. You all know and we know that we did every thing possible to describe this variety as it is, and the purpose for which it was put on the market. Every Violet I have sent out has been in bloom, and the person selling leaves for a Yellow Violet know's what color it is and I don't want anyone coming back on me for some one else's misrepresentation, therefore we are reducing the price to \$2.50 each retail or in lots of twelve(12) wholesale at \$1.00 each. It is too late to change ad in African Violet Magazine, so it will be advertised in next issue for \$5.00 which you will please disregard.

According to Dictionary of Colors Maerz & Paul official color chart this flower corresponds to Plate 12 L3 or L4, the color name being Pyrite Yellow or Sulphine Yellow of course when a person thinks of a yellow, they think of a lemon yellow or Sulphure Yellow but lots of violets are called red and you are accepting this and really the red are a reddish purple as there is no really red African Violet. So we consider ourselves within our rights naming this Yellow Brown Girl and don't think that some of you people are justified in some of the remarks you are making.

We are taking some of these plants to Ohio State University for this classification to color.

We will not replace any more orders of Yellow Brown Girl unless they are damaged in transit and returned within 24 hours. Sometimes through the shipping of Yellow Brown Girl it will loose it's color, but that will come back as this is not a White African Violet and it has not been chemically treated.

THE SELECT VIOLET HOUSE, 2023 BELMONT AVENUE, YOUNGSTOWN, OHIO

